

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Carol Johnson graduated from Faith High School at the age of 16, attended Spearfish Normal for one year and began teaching at a rural school in Ziebach County at the age of 17, often teaching students who were only a few years younger than she; and,

WHEREAS, Carol Johnson has been in education 43 years, teaching all of those years in Meade and Ziebach Counties. Approximately half of her years of teaching were spent in rural schools, where she taught without modern conveniences, often living with neighbors or driving many miles on gravel roads to get to school; and,

WHEREAS, She received her Bachelor's degree in 1970 and her Master's degree in 1975, earning both through extension courses or summer school courses; and,

WHEREAS, In 1973, Carol Johnson was hired by the West River School District as elementary coordinator, where she was in charge of six rural and two town schools. Two years later, her title changed to elementary principal and, in 1980, she became elementary principal in the Faith School District, a position she now holds; and,

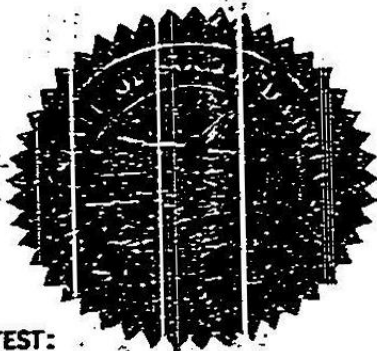
WHEREAS, Carol Johnson has decided to retire from education this year after a long and successful career as a teacher and as an administrator:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 29, 1990, as

CAROL JOHNSON DAY

in South Dakota and I join with South Dakota citizens and Carol Johnson's former students in thanking her for her many years of dedication to education in South Dakota and wish her many healthy and happy years in her retirement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety



ATTEST:

*Joyce Hazelton*  
JOYCE HAZELTON, SECRETARY OF STATE

*George S. Mickelson*  
GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR